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1. THE PRESIDENTIAL REPRESENTATIVE TO THE 1976 POZNAN INTERNATIONAL TRADE FAIR, CONGRESSMAN BILL FRENZEL, AND THE AMBASSADOR, ACCOMPANIED BY MRS. FRENZEL, MRS. DAVIES, AND MR. EDWARD WILLIAMS, ASSISTANT COUNSEL, SUBCOMMITTEE ON TRADE, HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE, ATTENDED THE OFFICIAL FAIR OPENING CEREMONY ON SUNDAY, JUNE 6, 1976, AT 10:00 A.M.

2. THE OPENING CEREMONY OF THE U.S. PAVILION WAS HELD AT NOON WITH FORMAL REMARKS MADE BY CONGRESSMAN FRENZEL AND AMBASSADOR DAVIES. THE OFFICIAL U.S. PARTY TOURED THE AMERICAN PAVILIONS IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE RIBBON-CUTTING CEREMONY. LATER, THE U.S. PARTY ESCORTED THE HIGH-LEVEL POLISH OFFICIAL DELEGATION HEADED BY JAN SZYDLAK, VICE PREMIER AND POLITBUREAU MEMBER, ON A TOUR OF THE U.S. PAVILION. OTHER MEMBERS OF THE POLISH OFFICIAL DELEGATION, INCLUDED EDWARD BABIUCH, SECRETARY OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE UNITED POLISH WORKERS PARTY (UPWP), FRANCISZEK KAIM, VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS, AND JERZY ZASADA, FIRST SECRETARY OF THE POZNAN VOIVODSHIP CENTRAL COMMITTEE, UPWP. THE GROUP STOPPED BRIEFLY AT SEVERAL BOOTHS TO TALK WITH EXHIBITORS. THE OFFICIAL TOUR WAS FOLLOWED BY A LUNCHEON GIVEN BY THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE AND MARITIME ECONOMY AT THE HOTEL POLONEZ. A RECEPTION IN HONOR OF CONGRESSMAN AND MRS. FRENZEL WAS HELD LATER THAT EVENING

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AT THE HOME OF CONSUL P. FLOOD.

3. HIGHLIGHTS FOR MONDYA, JUNE 7, 1976, INCLUDED A MORNING MEETING WITH JERZY OLSZEWSKI, MINISTER OF FOREIGN TRADE AND MARITIME ECONOMY, TO DISCUSS POTENTIAL INCREASE OF U.S.-POLISH TRADE, AND A 12:00 O'CLOCK MEETING WITH WLODZIMIERZ WISNIEWSKI, PRESIDENT OF THE POLISH CHAMBER OF FOREIGN TRADE. POLISH OFFICIALS MADE EFFORTS TO INSURE THE CONGRESSMAN'S AWARENESS OF THEIR DESIRE TO INCREASE U.S.-POLISH ECONOMIC RELATIONS. THE MEETINGS WERE FOLLOWED BY A LUNCHEON HOSTED BY STANISLAW DLUGOSZ, DEPUTY MINISTER OF FOREIGN TRADE AND MARITIME ECONOMY.

4. SOME 400 INVITED GUESTS ATTENDED THE "AMERICA DAY" RECEPTION WHICH WAS GIVEN BY AMBASSADOR AT THE HOTEL POLONEZ. FORMAL REMARKS WERE MADE BY THE AMBASSADOR, CONGRESSMAN FRENZEL, AND VICE MINISTER STANISLAW DLUGOSZ.
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